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As Soon as the February Leaf is Torn Off Of The Calendar--- PEOPLE BEGIN TO THINK, FEEL AND TALK SPRING

Of course, we know that officially it won't be Spring for ten days, but what's the calendar among friends? As some one said of the Constitution. It's March and Spring tomorrow, but the new things simply won't wait. Every department is brimful of new Spring merchandise, introducing the coming season's latest fashions and novelties. A stroll through the various departments will not only result in material benefits, but will enlarge your knowledge as to the latest style tendencies for the coming Spring and Summer.

Women's Dresses and Suits: New styles in dressy models

Fascinating indeed, is our early showing of Women's Dresses and Suits for Spring. There are models suited to any time or occasion, for shopping purposes or afternoon teas to irresistible airy gowns for receptions.

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It is our purpose to always be the first to show the new styles in waists, and our showing of the out-of-the-ordinary kinds are on a much larger scale this season than ever before. Made in the charming new models, carefully made, beautiful embroidery or fine Val. lace trimmed and tucked, new style sleeves, pretty round or square effect yoke. We should like you to see the scores and scores of new styles which fill every nook and corner of our Waist Section. **PRICES RANGE FROM 50c to \$10.00.**

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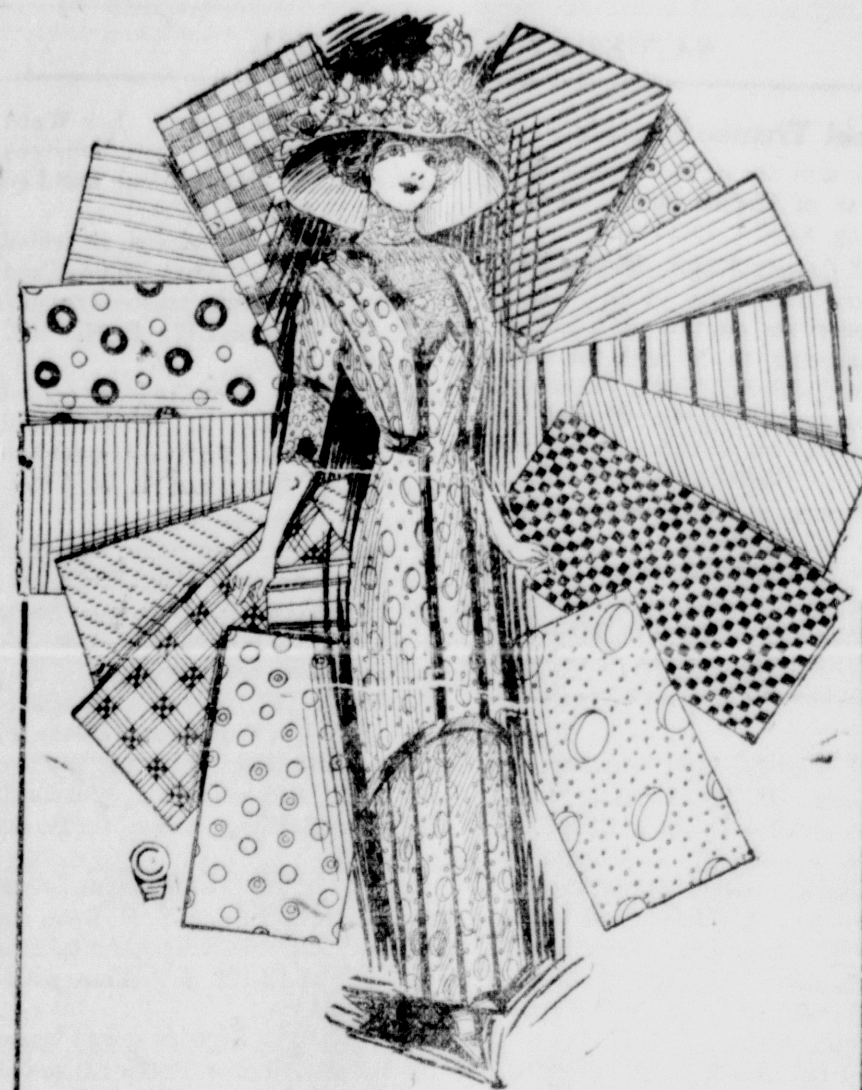
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1 Pound Royal Baking Powder.....44c



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Denbrook Linen Finish Chambray, a yard	12½c
Bluebell Batiste, a yard	15c
Hanover Batiste, a yard	15c
32-inch Mohican Madras, a yard	17½c
Pongerian Foulard, a yard	20c
Satin Finish Foulard, a yard	20c
Voile Rayee, a yard	20c
Sylke Taffeta, a yard	25c
Honiton Stripes, a yard	25c
French Batiste, a yard	25c
Leone Voile, a yard	35c
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Men's Shoes	\$2.00 to \$5.00
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Spring Underwear	25c up



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SATURDAY MARCH 11, 1911.

School Trustee Election.

To be held in the various school districts of Medina County on Saturday, April 1, 1911.

Office of County Judge, Medina Co., Texas. In conformity with law, I hereby order an election at a school district meeting to be held for that purpose at 2 o'clock, P. M., Saturday, April 1, 1911, in the various districts as below stated, for the election of two trustees, the Commissioners' Court of Medina County, at its February term, 1911, having appointed the following persons to hold such election:

District No. 1, Castrovilla, old court house, Louis M. Tondre, Wm. Rihn and Ed Hans, for two trustees to succeed Wm. Rihn and Ed Hans, whose terms expire.

District No. 2, San Geronimo, at school house, F. P. Seekatz, Louis Wurzbach and Joe F. Spettel, for two trustees to succeed F. P. Seekatz and Louis Wurzbach, whose terms expire.

District No. 3, Lacoste, at school house, Wm. Jungmann, Frank Keller and Joe Hutzler, for two trustees to succeed Frank Keller and Joe Hutzler, whose terms expire.

District No. 4, Murphy, at school house, F. A. Brown, John M. Saathoff and Jac. M. Fusselman, for two trustees to succeed Jac. M. Fusselman and John M. Saathoff, whose terms expire.

District No. 5, Upper Quihi, at school house, And. Schuchle, H. H. Balzen and Robt. Reitzer, for three trustees.

District No. 6, Hondo, at Fly school house, J. S. Fly, Will Hancock and O. E. Lacy, for two trustees to succeed J. S. Fly and Will Hancock, whose terms expire.

District No. 7, Longview, at school house, August Wendland, John Fohn and Henry Ney, for two trustees to succeed John Fohn and Henry Ney, whose terms expire.

District No. 8, Haass', at Rock school house, Joe Weiss, E. E. Haass and Jacob W. Bendele, for two trustees to succeed P. E. Haass and Joe Weiss, whose terms expire.

District No. 9, Chicon, at school house, J. D. McLain, J. N. Campbell and D. H. Hughes, for two trustees to succeed J. N. Campbell and J. D. McLain, whose terms expire.

District No. 10, Francisco, at school house, John Poerner, Edgar Littleton and Aug. Schott, for two trustees to succeed John Poerner and Edgar Littleton, whose terms expire.

District No. 11, Lower Hondo, at Briar Branch school house, Louis P. Mann, Albert Bilhartz and J. A. Blackburn, for two trustees to succeed Albert Bilhartz and L. P. Mann, whose terms expire.

District No. 12, Black Creek, at Duncan or Howard or upper school house, W. B. Littleton, J. Earl Dubose and R. S. Howard, for two trustees to succeed R. S. Howard and J. E. Dubose, whose terms expire.

District No. 13, Community, at school house, Louis Mofield, Henry G. Hardt and Henry Reitzer, for two trustees to succeed Henry G. Hardt and Louis Mofield, whose terms expire.

District No. 14, Bear Creek, at school house, Eug. Bohl, E. P. Gossett and Louis P. Jungmann, for two trustees to succeed E. P. Gossett and Louis P. Jungmann, whose terms expire.

District No. 15, Styles, at school

house, J. W. McCaughan, Lee Ward and S. P. Childress, for two trustees to succeed J. W. McCaughan and Lee Ward, whose terms expire.

District No. 16, Tehuacana, at school house, N. W. Ward, S. G. Wilson and H. G. Wilson, for two trustees to succeed N. W. Ward and W. E. Newton, whose terms expire.

District No. 17, Deer Creek, at school house, W. E. Berry, T. W. Langford and V. A. Johnson, for two trustees to succeed W. E. Berry and T. W. Langford, whose terms expire.

District No. 18, Leinweber, at school house, Henry Frerichs, Aug. E. Schuchle and Aug. Barth, for two trustees to succeed Henry Frerichs and Aug. E. Schuchle, whose terms expire.

District No. 19, Maverick, at school house, F. L. Wurzbach, Henry F. Wurzbach and Eug. Belzung, for two trustees to succeed F. L. Wurzbach and Eugene Belzung, whose terms expire.

District No. 20, Coal Mine, at school house, L. H. S. Atkins, S. M. Bush and J. F. Riley, for two trustees to succeed J. F. Riley and L. H. S. Atkins, whose terms expire.

District No. 21, Seco, at school house, F. Rothe Sr., Louis Rothe Sr. and J. B. Lutz, for two trustees to succeed Louis Rothe Sr. and John B. Lutz, whose terms expire.

District No. 22, Burrell, at school house, L. W. Burrell, Aug. Etter and Albert Geant, for two trustees to succeed Aug. Etter and L. W. Burrell, whose terms expire.

District No. 23, Peach Tree, at school house, John H. Cosgrove, Ben de Grodt and Rufus Evans, for two trustees to succeed John H. Cosgrove and Ben de Grodt, whose terms expire.

District No. 24, Yellow Banks, at school house, Alois Haby, Emil Kaufman and Otto W. Huegele, for two trustees to succeed Emil Kaufman and Otto W. Huegele, whose terms expire.

District No. 25, Live Oak Slough, at school house, J. M. Fusselman, J. J. Moehring and Ed. E. Rogers, for two trustees to succeed J. M. Fusselman and J. J. Moehring, whose terms expire.

District No. 26, Mustang Prairie, at school house, Aug. Vollmering, Louis Boenig and Henry A. Mann, for two trustees to succeed Louis Boenig and Henry A. Mann, whose terms expire.

District No. 27, Rothe's, at school house, Alex. Marquis, M. L. Saathoff and Alf. Trevathan, for two trustees to succeed M. L. Saathoff and Alf. Trevathan, whose terms expire.

District No. 28, Kinchele, at school house, Dan Polk, H. J. Hinton and A. L. Braden, for two trustees to succeed Dan Polk and H. J. Hinton, whose terms expire.

District No. 29, Langfeld, at school house, H. W. Butts, Wm. Finger and Joe Langfeld, for two trustees to succeed H. W. Butts and Wm. Finger, whose terms expire.

District No. 30, New Fountain, at school house, John Muennink, Fritz Bohlen and C. A. Oefinger, for three trustees.

District No. 31, Vandenberg, at school house, Henry Decker, Louis Schlenz and F. J. Saathoff, for three trustees.

District No. 32, Verdina, at school house, John G. Brucks, Hy. G. Saathoff and W. J. Saathoff, for three trustees.

District No. 33, Dunlay, at school house, L. A. Haby, Emil Liebold and

Jac. Breiten, for three trustees.

Ballots, poll lists, tally lists and returns for election to be same as in general election.

Returns to be made to County Judge within five days after said election. See page 51, Sec. 137, etc., School Laws of 1909.

Witness my official signature, at Hondo, Texas, this 1st day of March, 1911.

[L. S.] H. E. HAASS, County Judge, Medina County, Texas.

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New Fountain Notes.

BY NARRATOR.

ED ANVIL HERALD:—

The masquerade ball given by the "Quihi Gun Club" at their hall Saturday night was one of the largest attended dances ever given at that place. Music was furnished by the Mann Bros. band, and the best of order prevailed throughout the entire night. There were about twenty masks and the characters were well chosen: both comical and amusing. No prizes were awarded to any of them; but we think credit is due to Charles Senne and Willie Weber; the former represented an "Indian Chief" and the latter with sombrero, lasso and spurs, and on his leggings, with quirt kept time with the music, presented a good spirited cowboy.

Misses Polly Bendele, Bell Procter, Theresa Saathoff, Lily and Maud Allen, five young ladies of Hondo were among the masqueraders Saturday night.

Miss Clara Boehle, one of Quihi's belles, but now of Hondo, was here for the dance Saturday.

Henry Barth and Willie Weynand, two of D'Hanis' sports, took in the dance at Quihi Saturday night.

Willie Tampke, a young gent from Utopia, spent the latter part of last week in our burg and also took in the dance at Quihi.

We failed to mention in our last week's letter that J. L. Oefinger of Yancey, who is clerking for the Yancey Mercantile Co. of that place, spent a few days the first of the week with home folks at this place.

Miss Emma Bohmfalk, one of New Fountain's belles, returned Saturday after a pleasant visit to relatives at Yancey.

August Gerdes visited home folks here Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Hartmann were pleasant visitors to our burg Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Buss of Seguin were pleasant visitors to Mr. Buss' brother, Henry, and other relatives at this place. They returned home this morning, making the trip overland.

John Muennink and C. J. Oefinger, two business men of this place, left Saturday for Yancey to attend a meeting of the proposed deep well company, but as only a few persons were present (as we are informed,) the question of the once supposed "deep well" was dropped.

Charles Bendele and family were visitors to our burg Sunday.

Otto Neuman was down from the hills Saturday with a load of hogs which he took to the Hondo market.

W. M. Saathoff was a Hondo visitor today.

New Fountain, March 2, 1911.

(The above arrived too late for last issue. Ed.)

There is more Catarrh in this section of the country than all other diseases put together, and until the last few years was supposed to be incurable. For a great many years doctors pronounced it a local disease and prescribed local remedies, and by constantly failing to cure with local treatment, pronounced it incurable. Science has proven catarrh to be a constitutional disease and therefore requires constitutional treatment. Hall's Catarrh Cure, manufactured by F. J. Cheney & Co., Toledo, Ohio, is the only constitutional cure on the market. It is taken internally in doses from 10 drops to a teaspoonful. It acts directly on the blood mucous surfaces of the system. They offer one hundred dollars for any case it fails to cure. Send for circulars and testimonials.

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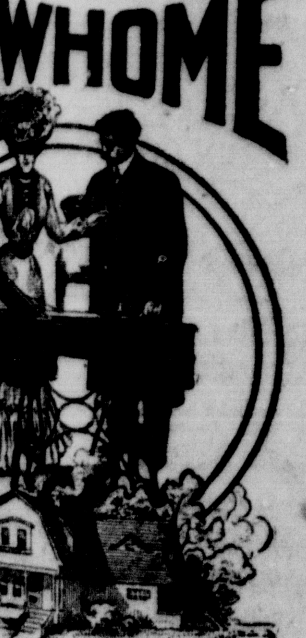
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who is authorized to collect and receipt for money due this paper and to
whom items intended for this page should be submitted.—Editor.

Mrs. Charles Tschirhart and children
of Bisbee, Arizona, arrived last Sun-
day on a visit to relatives and friends
in this vicinity.

Misses Paulina Vollmer and Clara
Franger returned last Sunday from a
pleasant visit to kinfolks and friends
at Devine.

Last Monday night's ball at Wer-
nette's opera house was largely attend-
ed, as was also the Masquerade Ball at
Nic Tschirhart's pavilion. A large
number were masked. Mr. John Voll-
mer and sister, Miss Paulina, were a
masked prize offered for the best
masked gentleman and lady.

Mr. and Mrs. F. A. Tuerpe and
daughter, Miss Elsie, of Benton, were
Castroville visitors Monday.

Mrs. Wm. Lamon and little son,
Josie, returned Tuesday from a several
days visit to the Alamo City.

Miss Viola Kreisle left Tuesday on a
pleasant visit to kinfolks and friends
near Devine.

Assessor H. B. Taylor was in our
midst on official business from Tuesday
to Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Phil L. Wernette left
Wednesday on an extended visit to re-

latives and friends at San Antonio.

Louis C. Meyer of Verdina was a
Castroville business visitor Thursday.

H. V. Haass made an overland busi-
ness trip to San Antonio Thursday.

Mrs. Val. Haass of San Antonio ar-
rived Friday on a visit to relatives and
friends in our midst.

Andrew Ahr, and assistant, Jim Jef-
fers of Tarpley, passed through town
Saturday with a large bunch of fat
cattle for the San Antonio markets.

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. Joe Hans, of
East Side on Sunday, March 5th, a
daughter.

Mrs. M. A. Biry left this morning
for Biry on a visit to her sick brother,
Joseph Bilhartz, Sr. Her son Joe ac-
companied her.

Stock taking was on tapis during
last week at Jos. Conrad Co.'s Big
Store.

Edward Charles, the infant son of
Mr. and Mrs. Henry W. Haas of La-
Coste neighborhood, died Thursday
night and was buried Friday afternoon,
Rev. Walter Kralik performing the
last sad rites. This entire community
joins in sympathizing with the bereaved
and grief-stricken parents. R. I. P.
Castroville March 6, 1911.

Catch White Sparrow.

A white sparrow has been caught
near Elgin, England. It was observed
for the first time about a week ago,
and was then so young that it was
being fed by the parent birds. With
the exception of a small fringe at the
extremities of the wings which is of
rather darker color, its feathers are
pure white all over.

A tight feeling in the chest accom-
panied by a short, dry cough, indicates
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Porous Plaster for the chest. The
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When you want a pleasant physic
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An uneasy feeling in the stomach or
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Election Officers.

Following are the Presiding
Officers and Election Judges of
Medina County, appointed by
the Commissioners' Court, Feb-
ruary 28, 1911, to serve for the
year 1911:

Precinct 1, North Hondo,
Court House, presiding officer,
E. R. Leinweber; judges, Nic
Koch, Vernor King and Fritz
Frerichs.

Precinct 2, Quihi, at school
house, presiding officer, George
Heyen; judges, John Muennink,
Dom Riff and H. F. Buss.

Precinct 3, Dunlay, at school
house, presiding officer, Wm.
Reitzer; judge, Adolph Haby.

Precinct 4, Verde Ben de
Grodt house, presiding officer,
John G. Brucks; judge Ben de
Grodt.

Precinct 5, San Geronimo, at
school house, presiding officer,
Rud. Wurzbach; judge, Herman
Bippert.

Precinct 6, Castroville, at
Wernette's hall, down stairs,
presiding officer, Ed Hans; judg-
es, P. C. Jagge, Joe Forst and
Ed Huehner.

Precinct 7, D'Hanis, at Justice
Court Office, presiding officer,
Ben Zerr; judges, Richard Wall-
rath, H. C. Rothe and Jno. Fohn.

Precinct 8, Haass, at school
house, presiding officer, Jac. W.
Bendele; judge, Tom Bendele.

Precinct 9, Coal Mine, at school
house, presiding officer, J. F.
Riley; judge, W. S. Balcs.

Precinct 10, Devine, Justice
Court office, presiding officer, C.
M. Thompson; judges, W. B.
Slater, John Fullerton and J. W.
Roberson.

Precinct 11, Black creek, Dun-
can school house, presiding offi-
cer, W. H. Hy. Dubose; judge,
Harrison Harris.

Precinct 12, Yancey, Mexican
church, presiding officer, J. C.
Newton; judge, Fritz Faseler.

Precinct 13, Maverick, school
house, presiding officer, C. Schu-
chart; judge, Hy. F. Wurzbach.

Precinct 14, Briar Branch,
school house, presiding officer,
Rud. Posch; judge, Hugh Love.

Precinct 15, Lacoste, school
house, presiding officer, William
Santleben; judge Hy. Salzman.

Precinct 16, S. Hondo, sample
room, presiding officer, Isaac
Wilson; judges, F. J. Leinweber,
J. G. Newton and J. E. Callahan.

Precinct 17, Upper Hondo,
school house, presiding officer,
Alex. Marquis; judge, Geo. A.
Hay.

Precinct 18, Elstone, gin, pre-
siding officer, Jack Fusselman;
judge, L. R. Neuman.

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your money. So confident are we of
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well as the cleanest and most effec-
tive treatment for affections of the
skin or scalp, whether on infant or
grown person.

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WEST BOUND
No. 7. Arrives.....10:17 P. M.
No. 9. Arrives.....11:00 A. M.
EAST BOUND
No. 10. Arrives.....5:33 P. M.
No. 8. Arrives.....8:26 A. M.
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A 320-acre farm, 8½ miles south of Hondo, all fenced and 35 acres in cul-
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An eight-room residence in Hondo situated on four lots 35x140-feet, will
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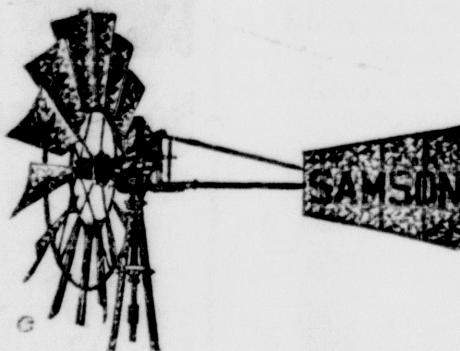
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Andrew Munro was here Wednesday from Devine.

Mrs. P. Jungman visited San Antonio Wednesday.

Joe Bilhartz Sr. and son, Louis, were in town Tuesday.

Commissioner J. B. Ney was over from D'Hanis Tuesday.

The Woods Sisters play St. Elmo at the Auditorium tonight.

Jacob Deckert returned to his home in San Antonio Wednesday.

Farmers are busy planting and report the soil in fine condition.

Emil Haegelin and John Lebold were here from the Medina Tuesday.

Butcher Ed Schweers was a San Antonio visitor the first of the week.

S. H. Wilkinson was at home the first of the week, and went from here to Devine.

Ed Tschirhart Sr. was here Sunday, the guest of his daughter, Mrs. John A. Mechler.

J. W. Harris, an old Confederate veteran of Guadalupe Co., was here the first of the week visiting his daughters, Mesdames J. G. Newton and J. H. Henderson. He returned home Monday.

We are requested to announce that the ladies of the Catholic Church will serve a dinner and supper Tuesday of the first week of the April term of district court for the benefit of the church.

Mrs. Dr. Fletcher was the lucky winner of the first prize, a silver loving cup, in the endurance contest run of automobiles from San Antonio to Corpus Cristi and return last week for cars of the runabout class.

Today is P. E. O. Tag Day. Fill your pockets with dimes and don't dodge the taggers! The proceeds of the tagging will be devoted to the payment of water rent for the hydrants in Public Park, and every one should get tagged!

The regular meeting of the Mothers Club will be held next Monday afternoon at 4 o'clock. The special feature of the meeting will be a paper on "The Function of Good Literature in Character Building," by Misses Stella Stone and Novella Johnson.

Chris. C. Mills of Sheboygan, Michigan, and J. A. Mills of D'Hanis were in Hondo Tuesday on a pleasure trip. This is the elder Mr. Mills' first trip to Texas and he finds it uncomfortably warm, having just left a country covered with three feet of snow.

We are requested to announce that the P. E. O. Sisterhood will have a man at Public Park next Monday to plant trees and shrubbery, and any one having trees or plants to donate to the park are requested to deliver them at the park that day or notify some member of the society and the same will be sent for.

Miss Lola Mask now has a nice line of Spring and Summer Millinery, from the St. Louis Market, on display at the Mask & Son store and invites the ladies of Hondo and vicinity to call and inspect the same before purchasing elsewhere. Newest and most approved styles, best fabrics and reasonable prices. Give her a call. tf.

Agent P. Jungman, apropos of our reference to the freight rate on wood from this place in our last issue, calls our attention to another feature of the same. He says that a cord of wood will weigh at least three thousand pounds—often times more—and when the company pulls a cord from here to Alpine for three dollars it is doing so at the rate of ten cents per hundred pounds for a distance of 320 miles. This certainly looks like a very low rate for such a haul and yet it looks like the road could make it low enough for it not to be prohibitive. We are glad to thus be able to give both the shipper and the carrier's side of the question and if it brings them closer together on terms of mutual helpfulness and a better understanding our reference to the matter will have served its purpose.



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ED. ANVIL HERALD:-

Gus. Keller and wife, Misses Ida Reicherzer, Rosa Moeller and Maude Schweeringer, Messrs. R. A. Richey, Julius Reicherzer and Bob Schweeringer attended the mask ball at Castroville last Monday night. All report a fine time.

Mrs. Chas. Saengerhausen of San Antonio was the guest of Mrs. Frank Krieger this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Aug. Vollmering of Mustang Prairie passed through here in their Auto Thursday enroute to San Antonio. They returned the same day.



IF you wish the greatest possible values for your Clothes money, regardless of the price you pay, come direct to our store and let us show you the elegant display of woollens just received from the oldest tailoring house in the U. S.

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Cleaning and Pressing a Specialty

Messrs. Wm. Herzlepp and Chas. Saengerhausen made a flying trip to San Antonio Friday.

Ed. A. Tschirhart, the Riomedina Carpenter, is helping in the completion of the new church.

Mrs. Eug. Mangold of Castroville accompanied Mrs. Geo. Burrell and sister to town where they boarded the train for San Antonio.

Miss Frances Pinn of Castroville boarded the train for San Antonio Friday.

Miss Jane Poster and little Miss Martha Weynand took a pleasure trip to D'Hanis Saturday. She was accompanied home by her sister, Miss Theresa.

Mrs. J. V. Reicherzer returned from San Antonio Thursday after a few days stay with relatives.

Aug. Mann and family and Emil Mann and family of Mustang Prairie were shopping in town Saturday.

F. X. Schmitt of Castroville shipped a carload of cotton seed to San Antonio Saturday.

Joe Schmitt and Peter Rihn of Castroville were seen on our streets Saturday.

Mrs. Anton Bohl of Spindletop was a pleasant visitor here Saturday.

Mrs. Geo. Christilles and sons Paul and Daniel of Chicon were here in their Auto Saturday.

Geo. Hawkes of San Antonio visited home folks Sunday.

Joe L. Zuercher and family of Devine spent Sunday with Mrs. Jac. Mangold and family.

Conrad Loessberg and family visited Geo. Haass and family at Chicon Sunday.

Ed L. Mann and family of Mustang Prairie visited relatives near Macdona Sunday.

Mrs. Emil Moeller and daughter, visited Chas. Moeller and family Sunday.

Edmund Jungman and family of the Sauz visited Andrew Keller and wife Sunday.

The infant son of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Haas died at the home of his parents near LaCoste Thursday evening. The deceased was about four months old at the time of his demise. The pall bearers were Messrs. Wm. Reicherzer, Herbert Moeller, Lionel Loessberg and Herman Jungman. We join in sympathy with the bereaved ones.

Grandma Reicherzer and Mrs. Pete Jungman of the Sauz were the guests of Mrs. J. V. Reicherzer Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Math. Keller of Devine passed through here in their auto enroute to San Antonio, returning the same day.

Fritz Rihn of Castroville was seen on our streets Sunday.

The Courand Co.'s force was busy taking stock this week.

Miss Hilda Rihn of Spindletop is the guest of Mrs. F. Keller this week.

Joe Courand of the Alamo City was a business visitor here Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Adam Droitcourt of Castroville spent Sunday eve with Joe Droitcourt and family.

Oscar Droitcourt of Hondo was a pleasant visitor here Sunday evening.

Henry Mann and family of Mustang Prairie spent Sunday with Mrs. Mary Mann at the Sauz.

LaCoste, March 7th.

District Attorney Louis J. Brucks attended district court at Boerne this week. He returned Thursday night and reported very little business in the court.

Chas. Winkler invites all of his Medina County friends to call on him at 625 Jones Ave., San Antonio. Take the Tobin Hill car and get off on east Elmira St.

Citation by Publication.

The State of Texas, County of Medina. In County Court, in matters of Probate; to April term, A. D., 1911.

The State of Texas, to all persons interested in the guardianship of the minors, Lula, Willie, Ernest and Earl Beard.

Whereas, Joe Ney has filed an application to resign as guardian and he has also filed in said Court his Final Account of the condition of the Estate of said minors, together with an application to be discharged from said Guardianship.

You are Hereby Commanded, that by publication of this Writ for (3) three successive weeks, in a Newspaper regularly published in the County of Medina, you give due notice to all persons interested in the Account for Final Settlement of said Estate, to file their objections thereto, if any they have, on or before the April term, 1911, of said County Court, commencing and to be held at the Court House of said County, in the town of Hondo, on the 1st Monday in April, A. D., 1911, the same being the 3rd day of April, 1911, when said Account and Application will be considered by said Court.

Witness, S. A. Jungman, Clerk of the County Court of Medina County.

Given Under My Hand and seal of said Court, at my office, in the town of Hondo, this 3rd day of March, A. D., 1911.

[L. S.] S. A. JUNGMAN, Clerk County Court, Medina County. Came to hand March 3rd, 1911, at 10 o'clock A. M. and publication of the above Citation ordered published in the Anvil Herald, a weekly newspaper published in the town of Hondo, Medina County, Texas.

J. F. BADER, Sheriff, Medina County, Texas.

Philathea Class Meeting.

The Philathea Class of the Methodist Episcopal Church met at the pretty home of Mrs. H. J. Meyer Tuesday, March 7, 1911.

The meeting was called to order by the president. Prayer was led by Rev. D. W. Bennett. The minutes of the last meeting were read and approved. Rev. M. L. Darby led the History Lesson, subject "General Rules of the M. E. Church".

After discussion of the lesson Mrs. Meyer served delicious punch and sandwiches.

Those present were: Misses Lora and Linnie King, Linnie Beal, Minnie Monkhouse, May Routt, Willie D. Fly and Cora Bierschwaile, Mesdames H. J. Meyer, P. Jungman, R. P. Thomas, B. R. Bradley, Chancey, Dayhoff, Newton, Garwood, Roland Chancey, Barnes, Monkhouse, Horger, V. P. King, Fisher King, Darby, Meriwether, Rogers, Hickman, Windrow, Will Holloway and H. G. Henderson and Revs. Bennett and Darby.

Next meeting will be with Mrs. C. C. Rogers, March 21st.

Both Saved Gallons.

Devco is worth \$4 or \$5 a gallon, put-on; how much is another paint worth?

Depends on how many gallons you've got to put-on, to be equal to one of Devco.

Mr. J. J. Hall, Sheffield, Pa., painted two houses one coat, five years ago, lead-and-oil, took 40 gallons.

Last summer bought 40 gallons Devco for same houses; had 10 gallons left.

Mr. N. Avery, Delhi, N. Y., owns two houses exactly alike; painted one with Devco; took 6 gallons. The other with some other; took 12 gallons.

What'd you give for those off paints? Bear in mind, you've got to pay for the painting. Holloway Bros.

Officers Elected

At the annual election of officers of the P. E. O. Society Tuesday afternoon Mrs. R. P. Thomas was elected President; Mrs. A. Armstrong, Vice President; Mrs. J. N. Dowdy, Recording Secretary; Mrs. Fletcher Davis, Corresponding Secretary; Mrs. Wm. A. Schmitt, Treasurer; Mrs. B. Meriwether, Chaplain; Miss Meda Meriwether, Guard; and Mrs. Estelle Vore, Organist.

Richards & Pringle's Minstrels showed to a large audience at the Auditorium last Saturday night. As minstrels, the troupe is good, but the negro minstrel is never the artist in this line that the white man is and this troupe is no exception to the rule. A blind man could have readily told that the actors were real negroes rather than burnt cork artists. Where the troupe really did "rise and shine," however, is as musicians. In this line they leave nothing further to be desired.

With that commendable enterprise that ever characterizes the firm of Schmitt & Steinhilf, it has arranged with the Roberts, Johnson & Rand Shoe Co. for the appearance of Ted and Ted, two juvenile vaudeville performers, to give a free exhibition in front of the store at 430 o'clock this afternoon. This entertainment will be free to all, and will be an especial treat to the children, all of whom are invited to attend.

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Any one wishing to attend a business college will find it to their interest to consult the editor of this paper for a scholarship cheap.

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You a hot hamburger from Emil and only 5c.

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Skirts at reduced price. Heyen & Company's.

Devote paint—takes less, wears Holloway Bros.

Wilson visited San Antonio today on business.

at Henderson's restaurant, south depot, when in town.

and Mrs. Hubert Butts were in town Thursday.

second-hand corn and cotton for sale. Apply at depot.

up the wood yard, phone 139, new wood or stove wood. 2-1-12.

will appreciate it if you will take at our cultivators, Holloway Bros.

as Alice Rothe came over Thursday on a visit to her sister, Mrs. Felix.

Dolph Posch, Joe Schmidt and A. Beyer were in town Wednesday.

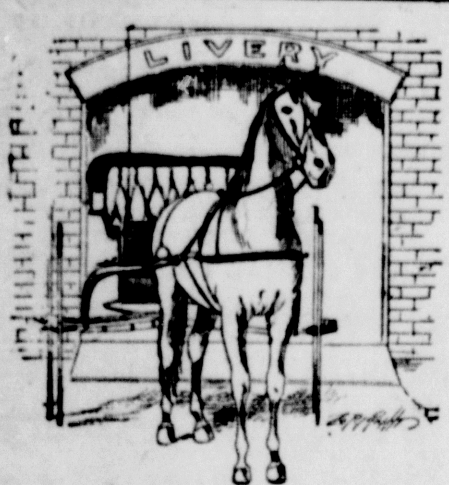
are ready to sharpen your knives. Bring them in early. Mechl.

reward for the return to this of one hair chain with gold-plated settings.

Neckwear! The prettiest we've shown now here at Heyen & Company's.

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Head, Agent.



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Tanks at F. Kilhorn, Jr.'s.
Cheap Chops at Fulton's. Phone 82.
Ice tea glasses, big ones, Holloway Bros.
For clipper knife-grinding call on Eugene Huesser. 2t.
For Pipes and Pipe Fittings see the Water Works. tf.
Use Devote paint—takes less, wears best, Holloway Bros.
Chocolate bon bons and fancy box candy at F. A. Heyen's.
Mr. and Mrs. Walter Short were Alamo City visitors Thursday.
We still have one good riding planter for sale cheap. Mechl. & Co.
Call on F. Kilhorn, Jr., tinner, at Holloway Bros. Prices reasonable.
We want to show you our book of house plans, King & Hudspeth. 27 tf
We will appreciate it if you will take a look at our cultivators, Holloway Bros.

Several brands of cigars for sale below cost. Regular 5c seller now two for 5c. Fritz Frerichs. tf.

Jack Bilhartz was in town Thursday. We were sorry to learn that one of his boys is quite sick with fever.

FOR SALE, 450 acres of land. A bargain if taken within 30 days. Apply to C. C. ROGERS, Hondo. 4t.

J. A. Head, the nursery agent, arrived here Saturday and is canvassing this section for the Ramsey Nursery of Austin.

Did you say hauling? We do that, too. Any thing from one pound up! Ring 37 and ask us about it. McClagherty & Horger.

Having bought out the restaurant business of Wilkinson & Brown, I solicit the continued patronage of the public. J. H. Henderson.

Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Slater arrived the first of the week from Bessmay and are visiting relatives during Mr. Slater's vacation.

Prof. John Vordenbaum, teacher of the Knappa school, was the guest of Prof. W. N. Saathoff and family Saturday and Sunday.

J. L. Dilworth left Thursday for his home at Gonzales after a pleasant visit to his brother, J. F. Dilworth, and family at this place.

Don't fail to see us about hay, in any quantity from one bale to a car load. We have cane and prairie hay. McClagherty & Horger.

Remember March 14th is the date of Heyen & Company's Millinery Opening. A beautiful and useful souvenir will be given each lady that attends.

Jack, the little son of Dr. and Mrs. B. R. Bradley, fell and broke his right arm while playing last Sunday. At last report the injured member was improving.

Mrs. Wm. Stevenson came down Saturday from Uvalde on a visit to her daughter, Mrs. J. G. Heyen. She returned home Sunday accompanied by Mrs. Heyen and little son.

Tax Collector Joe Ney left Wednesday evening for San Antonio and Devine. At Devine he attended the funeral of Mrs. A. Davis, a former hotel proprietress at that place, who died Wednesday morning after a protracted illness.

A little daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John McCaughan, while playing Monday afternoon, ran against a post and a nail caught her just over the right eye and cut a painful wound. The nail tore the flesh to the bone and several stitches were required to close the wound.

Cheap Chops at Fulton's. Phone 82.
Baled hay and shucks. Fulton's. Phone 82.

Ice water pitchers, good ones, Holloway Bros.

Kryptok invisible bifocals at James Pluck's optical office.

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Call at Henderson's for a short-order lunch. Wilkinson & Brown's old stand.

For clipping machines, clipping machine repairs and grinders, see Eugene Huesser. 2t.

Before buying, come and look through our line of building material. King & Hudspeth. 27 tf

A choice assortment of canned goods, crackers, cakes, confections, etc., at F. A. Heyen's.

Come and try a good Smoke. It is a new Cigar, "Decision", hand made, 5c each, at Windrow's.

Mrs. E. F. McCall and children are here from San Antonio, the guests of T. McCall and family.

The Watkin's toilet preparations are the best on the market. Buy them from O. S. Wallace, agent.

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. Isaac Wilson, Friday, March 10, 1911, a baby girl. Mother and child are doing well.

J. D. Burgin came in yesterday from a visit to Tioga. He reports grain crops in that section flourishing.

Exceptional Waist Values for early spring wear, elaborately trimmed or plain tailored at Heyen & Company's.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed. R. Fink and baby were guests of Mrs. Fink's parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. A. Chancey, Sunday.

Watkin's Lung Balm will stop that cough and heal and soothe your sore lungs. Sold by O. S. Wallace, Agent.

I know the varieties that bear in this section and will sell you no others if you leave it to me. J. A. Head, Ag't.

Don't forget that Emil Heyen's place, next to the postoffice, is the place to get a hot hamburger for 5c.

Call at Eugene Huesser's and see the Steward Horse Clipper. Sold by him under a guarantee of satisfaction.

If you plant the Belle Peaches and have no fruit there will be none in forty miles of you. J. A. Head, Ag't.

Figure with us when contemplating an auto trip. Our prices are right and satisfaction guaranteed. McClagherty & Horger.

Any errors in filling orders for Nursery Stock will be cheerfully corrected if either Mr. Ramsey or myself are notified. J. A. Head, Agent.

Yesterday is gone—there is no tomorrow, and if there is it might be too late. Better come today for that sitting. McLeod's Studio.

A Diamond mounted in a ring, pin or as you wish is something with which you would be pleased and a safe investment. V. A. Crow, jeweler.

Our car of unthreshed millet has arrived. Telephone your orders to Fulton Livery & Transfer Co., C. A. Johnson, Manager. Telephone 61.

Remember March 14th is the date of Heyen & Company's Millinery Opening. A beautiful and useful souvenir will be given each lady that attends.

For Sale, 200 head of two-year old steers, April delivery at your nearest railroad shipping point. 10 per cent cut at ranch if sold in fifteen days. Address H. Asher, Laguna, Texas.

We have a few second-hand buggies which we will sacrifice if sold at once. If you are needing a buggy don't fail to see us. We can give you good terms on same. McClagherty & Horger.

Our new Spring dress goods are beautiful, novel and rare colorings that delight the eyes, exquisite new weaves and designs in popular silk and cotton fabrics from 25c to 50c per yard at Heyen & Company's.

The Hondo High School boys organized a baseball team Tuesday for the season. The following is the line-up: Prof. T. C. Hickman, Manager; Frank Cockrell, Captain; Players, Walter McClagherty, Oscar Taylor, Joe Rogers, Jake Miller, Frank Cockrell, Emmett de Montel, Clyde Holloway, Murphy Beal and Noah Peters; Substitutes, Willie Windrow, Volney Peters and Anton Ney. There is some good material in this team and we expect some good work from it during the baseball season.

The W. O. W. Degree Team was started Thursday night, 9th instant, with a few of the members present. The degree work was gone through with, after which a side degree was given by an old time Woodman. All those present expressed themselves as being well pleased with the degree work. They adjourned to meet again next Wednesday night, the 15th. All members of the Camp are invited. Refreshments will be served at the expense of the Team. Come and fail not. H. H. Crow, Clerk.

HEYEN & COMPANY

Invites your inspection

of the Imported

PARIS MODELS,

PATTERN

AND

BE BE TAILORED

HATS

Spring and Summer, 1911

OPENING DATE

MARCH 14

Have you a picture you wish enlarged? Then it will pay you to see me. Also cheap kodak enlargements, McLeod's Studio.

Remember March 14th is the date of Heyen & Company's Millinery Opening. A beautiful and useful souvenir will be given each lady that attends.

For Sale, Good mesquite wood \$2.50 a load, split ready for the stove and delivered any where in Hondo. Also stumps for heating stoves at \$2.00 a load and big stumps for fire place at \$1.75 a load. Ring telephone 2 long 1 short No. 26. Henry Bohlen. 3 mo.

Dependable Jewelry

15-Jewel movement, in a 12 size 20-year case for \$12.00.

21-Jewel movement, adjusted, 18 size, 25-year case for \$20.00.

0 size, heavy, solid gold case fitted with 15-jewel South Bend movement, \$28.00, or 15-jewel Elgin movement for \$26.50.

0 size, 20-year case with Elgin movement for \$16.50.

16 size hunting case, 20-year case, with 7-jewel movement for \$11.00.

1 Diamond 1-16 karat at \$150.

1 Diamond 1/2 karat at \$75.

1 Diamond 1/4 karat at \$30.

We will give to the first three purchasers of \$50 worth of goods during the next 60 days the following pieces of sterling silver:

1 glass mustard stand mounted with silver, worth \$4.50.

1 plush pin tray mounted with silver, worth \$4.50.

1 plush hat pin stand mounted with silver, worth \$3.00.

V. A. Crow, Jeweler

Questions Answered by Jas. Pluck OPTICIAN

(Q.) Why is it that glasses are worn so much more now?

(A.) Years ago the science of optics was not understood as it is today. Only old people or those near-sighted wore glasses. Now we correct with lenses all errors of sight.

(Q.) Why is it that cheap glasses do not give satisfaction?

(A.) Cheap glasses are so faulty in construction and so poor in quality that they distort the vision and cause pain in the eyes.

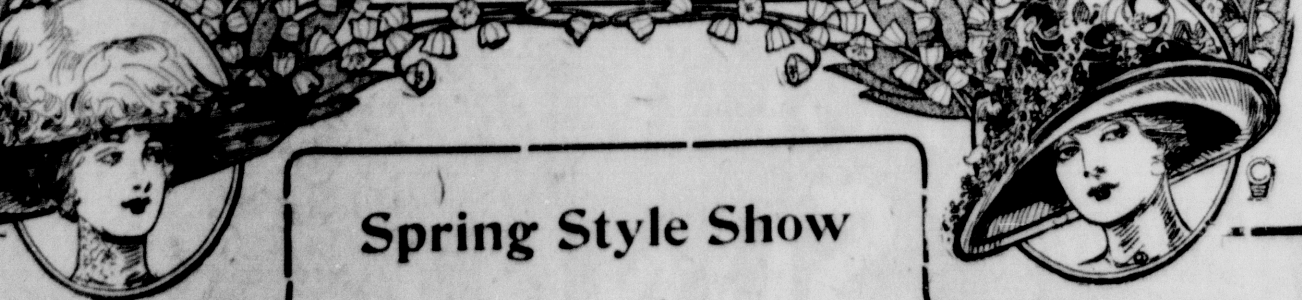
(Q.) Can my headaches be relieved with glasses?

(A.) It can.

A personal visit will be necessary; let us talk it over. Eyes tested free.

2nd Floor, Leinweber Building

SPRING MILLINERY OPENING



Spring Style Show

Formal Display
OF
Spring Millinery

LEST YOU FORGET THE DATE

Tuesday, March 14th, 1911

You and yours are cordially invited to inspect our beautiful exhibit. Hand-some Free Souvenirs Commemorating the Occasion.

The Leader

Over Schmitt & Steinhardt's

MRS. F. M. POSEY, Prop.

Just arrived at the
Hondo Merc. Co.
a snappy, stylish selection
of
Spring and Summer Dress
Goods

The fabrics in biggest demand, such as Blenheim Satin Stripes, Jacquard Pongees, Chiffons, Flaxons, Linens, Toile du Nord, all of the latest shades and designs.

Also a big line of lower priced staple goods.

We can please the most discriminating. Quality remembered long after price is forgotten.

CASTORIA

Kind You Have Always Bought, and which has been used for over 30 years, has borne the signature of and has been made under his personal supervision since its infancy. Allow no one to deceive you in this. Counterfeits, Imitations and "Just-as-good" are but experiments that trifle with and endanger the health of infants and children—Experience against Experiment.

What is CASTORIA

Castoria is a harmless substitute for Castor Oil, Paregoric, Drops and Soothing Syrups. It is Pleasant. It contains neither Opium, Morphine nor other Narcotic substance. Its age is its guarantee. It destroys Worms and allays Feverishness. It cures Diarrhoea and Wind colic. It relieves Teething Troubles, cures Constipation and Flatulency. It assimilates the Food, regulates the stomach and bowels, giving healthy and natural sleep. The Children's Panacea—The Mother's Friend.

GENUINE CASTORIA ALWAYS

Bears the Signature of
Chas. H. Fletcher
The Kind You Have Always Bought
In Use For Over 30 Years.

THE CASTORIA COMPANY, 77 CUNNING STREET, NEW YORK CITY.

In Bad Fix

"I had a mishap at the age of 41, which left me in bad fix," writes Mrs. Georgia Usher, of Conyers, Ga. "I was unconscious for three days, and after that I would have fainting spells, dizziness, nervousness, sick headache, heart palpitation and many strange feelings. "I suffered greatly with ailments due to the change of life and had 3 doctors, but they did no good, so I concluded to try Cardui." "Since taking Cardui, I am so much better and can do all my housework."

Take **CARDUI**
The Woman's Tonic

Do not allow yourself to get into a bad fix. You might get in so bad you would find it hard to get out. Better take Cardui while there is time, while you are still in moderately good health, just to conserve your strength and keep you in tip top condition. In this way your troubles, whatever they are, will gradually grow smaller instead of larger—you will be on the up-grade instead of the down—and by and bye you will arrive at the north pole of perfect health. Get a bottle at your druggists' today.

Real BEER
WHO CAN BEAT IT?
SAN ANTONIO BREWING ASSN.

If you are not a subscriber to The Hondo Anvil Herald
Ring up telephone No. 127 and let us enroll you. It is only \$1.00 a year.

If you have anything to advertise
Ring up telephone No. 127 and The Anvil Herald will carry your message to its readers at a nominal cost.

If you need anything in Job Printing
Ring us up and get our prices. We can please you in Price, Quality and Style.

If you know an item of news
Tell it to Telephone No. 127.

D'HANIS DOINGS.

Items of Interest Culled or Condensed from The D'Hanis News.

Mrs. Helen Zuercher spent Sunday at Castroville.

Chas. F. Luckenbach attended the funeral of his father at San Antonio Tuesday.

Mrs. Leopold Zuercher is visiting her daughter Mrs. Fred Durban at Marfa this week.

Mrs. Chas. Tschirhart and little daughters, Hilda and Millie, left Sunday on a visit to relatives and friends at Castroville.

Messrs. Alb. Nester and M. S. Koch shipped 4 car loads of cattle to the Ft. Worth market Saturday. Mr. Nester went with the cattle to Ft. Worth.

Jacob Fohn of Yancey was here Saturday in his auto.

P. M. Koch Sr. made a business trip to San Antonio Wednesday.

Henry Barth visited his home folks near Hondo Sunday and attended the mask ball at Quilhi Saturday night.

We learn that the well being drilled for Mr. Fritz Rothe is at the depth of three hundred and seventeen feet and has struck a fine vein of water fifty feet deep.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Meyers of Con Can were here on a visit to Mr. and Mrs. Paul Reinhardt returning home Thursday. Mr. Meyers reports fine rains in that section and the farmers are busy planting.

Walter Johnson of Lytle was here on business this week.

J. W. Karrer was in town from the ranch Wednesday.

Paul Brieden is out from San Antonio spending his vacation at the Nester Ranch.

Misses Bessie Moore and Lola Mask of Hondo were visitors here Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Sauter were here to attend the funeral Wednesday.

Frank Rothe, telegraph operator of Sabinal, is spending several days here with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Fritz Rothe.

A baby girl gladdened the home of Mr. and Mrs. Joe Batot at Eagle Pass Saturday Feb. 25th. Mother and child are doing well.

Paul Koch left Thursday for Crystal City where he has accepted a position on extra gang on the Railway at that place.

Dr. Smith of Hondo and Fritz Senne of Yancey were here Saturday to make arrangements with P. M. Koch Sr. for the use of the sulphur water of the well at Mr. Koch's residence. Mrs. Senne has a severe case of rheumatism and no doubt this mineral will prove to be a great remedy for rheumatism. The well is 230 feet deep and has 130 feet of strong sulphur water.

Charlie Rothe attended the mask ball at Quilhi Saturday night.

Messrs. Theo., Edd and Alex Keller of Devine are the guests of their sister Mrs. Ferdie Koch.

Mrs. J. C. Ware and little daughter, Arizona, are visiting relatives at Hondo.

Mr. and Mrs. P. M. Koch Sr. made a pleasure trip to Knippa and Uvalde last Friday and Saturday.

Father H. M. J. Wirtz was called to Hondo Wednesday on account of the serious illness of Grandma Louis Graff.

The brick-kiln for the Seco Pressed Brick Co. has been completed and sample brick will be ready for inspection by the first of next week.

Mrs. Ben Wernette returned Sunday evening from Uvalde where she has been waiting on Mrs. Miller who has been seriously ill. Mrs. Wernette is being highly recommended by some of the best doctors and anyone wanting a nurse should consult her.

Louis Rothe was in town Thursday from the ranch.

John Fohn was in town Saturday.

Miss Jennie Grimsinger of Hondo, is visiting relatives here.

Phil and Walter Karrer visited relatives here Sunday.

Mrs. Maggie Enderle is on the sick list.

Will Weynand spent several days at Quilhi and Castroville taking in the dances.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Langfeld and children spent Sunday in D'Hanis.

Mrs. F. Reitzer and Mrs. Joe Pavz of New Fountain were here Sunday on a visit to relatives.

Mrs. Dr. Fletcher and Mrs. Dr. Smith were visiting in D'Hanis Sunday evening.

Armin Rothe and sister, Miss Alice, were coming to town from the ranch early Friday morning in an automobile and happened to quite a dangerous accident but neither one were seriously hurt. While trying to drive around a cow that was lying in the road, it became frightened and ran against the car throwing both of them out and damaging the car considerably.

The biggest dance of the season was given at Sauter & Koch Hall last Monday night.

At the ranch of Aug. Albrecht occurred the death of Miss Frances Hattman Feb. 28, 1911, of apoplexy, at the age of 65. The remains were shipped to D'Hanis and laid to rest in the Catholic cemetery Wednesday morning at 9:30 o'clock, with high mass of Requiem.

Rev. H. M. J. Wirtz officiating both at the church and grave.

The Musical Entertainment given by the Sisters of the Catholic school last Sunday was well attended and the program was good and very much appreciated by the audience. About \$35 was cleared and will be used for the benefit of the Catholic school.

Contractors and Builders Notice.

Sealed bids will be received up to noon, Saturday, March 18th, 1911, by the Trustees of the German Lutheran Church, in care of H. E. Haass, President, Hondo, Texas, for the erection complete of a brick building, as per plans and specifications on file in office of said H. E. Haass, Hondo, Texas.

Do you know that of all the minor ailments colds are by far the most dangerous? It is not the cold itself that you need to fear, but the serious disease that it often leads to. Most of these are known as germ diseases. Pneumonia and consumption are among them. Why not take Chamberlain's Cough Remedy and cure your cold while you can? For sale by all dealers.

Poetry of the Kitchen.

Let our girls learn the stately measure of the rolling pin, let them run the scales upon the resonant dishpan and with the highest realization of the sculptor's art leave the impress of their dear, sweet, fairy fingers upon the plastic pone of the crisp corn bread.—Yanceyville (N. C.) Sentinel.

Wormy children are unhappy, puny and sickly. They can't be otherwise while worms eat away their strength and vitality. A few doses of White's Cream of Vermifuge performs a marvelous transformation. Cheerfulness, strength and the rosy bloom of health speedily return. Price 25c per bottle. Sold by W. H. Windrow.

Was Still Dead.

A man complained to the Tonbridge Board of Guardians that when he wrote inquiring as to the condition of his wife, who had been sent to the county asylum, he received a reply that she was "much about the same." He had since found out that she had been dead 12 months.

John W. Sickelsmith, Greensboro, Pa., has three children, and like most children they frequently take cold. "We have tried several kinds of cough medicine," he says "but have never found any yet that did them as much good as Chamberlain's Cough Remedy." For sale by all dealers.

Robin's Exalted Abode.

A robin built its nest under a ledge on the top of the pulpit in Oughtrington Parish church. The nest in due time held three eggs and the rector took great care not to have it disturbed until the young ones were hatched out in their exalted abode.

Check a bilious half-sick feeling before it gets serious. A dose of Herbine is the remedy. It restores energy, appetite and cheerful spirits. Price 50c. Sold by W. H. Windrow.

And a Vacation Train, Maybe.

"Gracious!" exclaimed Mrs. Goodley, "just listen to that clergyman! I'm positive he's swearing. Evidently he's missed his vocation." "No," replied her husband. "I think it was his train."—The Catholic Standard and Times.

When you have rheumatism in your foot or instep apply Chamberlain's Liniment and you will get quick relief. It cost but a quarter. Why suffer? For sale by all dealers.

Partially Informed.

"And have you told your father, my own?" inquired he. "Well," she replied, "to a certain extent, yes. I told him that I was engaged, but I did not tell him to whom. Poor father is not strong."—London Globe.

One Consolation.

"At any rate," moaned the amateur chauffeur, prostrate under the turned-turtle machine, as he waited to be extricated, "nobody can say this is a horse on me."—Baltimore American.

Home Life in Kansas.

When a woman appears in the back yard with the bed slats and pours boiling water over them, that is proof that she is an entomologist.—Atchison Globe.

Editorial.

The editor who gave up his seat to a lady on the train said he "was crowded out to make room for more interesting matter."—Judge

Slow Suicide.

No one has the right to work up to the limit of daily strength. It is slow suicide. If your work is too heavy say so to your employer.

Children Cry
FOR FLETCHER'S
CASTORIA

so busy? so tired?

Care-crowded lives most of all need rest, change, "uplift." All this--and--more is provided by one of

our piano players

Into the busy home it brings sweet music. Into the weary hands it places the art necessary to play the most difficult compositions without fatigue or years of preparation. Best of all, it gives relaxation.

the world's standard pianos

all new and sweet toned—perfect in finish and workmanship. The largest assortment in the city to choose from at special sale prices.

cash or easy payments

Bush & Gerts Pianos the artisan's triumph bearing the union label

Wray Bros. Piano Co. The House of Quality
217 E. Houston St. Old Phone 259. New Phone 904
SAN ANTONIO, TEXAS

ABOUT ADVERTISING—NO. 7

The Cannon That Modernized Japan

By Herbert Kaufman.

Business is no longer a man to man contact, in which the merchant and the patron establish a *personal* bond, any more than battle is a hand-to-hand grapple, where bone and muscle and sinew decide the outcome. *Trade* as well as *war* has changed in its aspect—both are now fought at long range.

Just as a present day army of heroes would have no opportunity to display the *individual* valor of its members, just so a merchant who counts upon his *personal* acquaintanceship for success is a relic of the past—a *business dodo*.

Japan changed her policy of exclusion to foreigners after a fleet of warships battered down the Satsuma fortifications. The Samurai, who had hitherto considered their blades and bows good enough, discovered that one cannon was mightier than all the swords in creation if they could not get near enough to use them. Japan profited by the lesson. She did not wait until further ramparts were battered to pieces, but was satisfied with her *one* experience and proceeded to modernize her methods.

The merchant who doesn't advertise is pretty much in the same position as that in which Japan stood when her eyes were opened to the fact that *times had changed*. The long range publicity of a competitor will as surely destroy your business as the cannon of the foreigners crumbled the walls of Satsuma. Unless you take the lesson to heart, unless you *realize* the importance of advertising, not only as the means of *extending* your business but for *defending* it as well, you must be prepared to face the consequences of a folly as great as that of a duelist who expects to survive in a contest in which his *adversary* bears a sword twice the length of his own.

Don't think that it's *too late* to begin because there are so many stores which have had the advantage of years of cumulative advertising. The city is growing. It will grow even more next year. It needs *increased trading facilities* just as it's hungry for new neighborhoods.

But it will never again support neighborhood stores. Newspaper advertising has eliminated the strength of being *locally prominent*, and five cent street car fares have cut out the advantage of being "around the corner." A store five miles away can reach out through the columns of the daily newspaper and draw your next door neighbor to its aisles, while you sit by and see the people on your own block enticed away without your being able to retaliate or supply *new* customers to take their place.

It is not a question of your ability to *stand the cost* of advertising but of being able to *survive without it*. The thing you have to consider is not only an *extension* of your business but holding *what you already have*.

Advertising is an *investment*, the cost of which is in the same proportion to its *returns* as *seeds* are to the *harvest*. And it is just as preposterous for you to consider publicity as an expense as it would be for a farmer to hesitate over purchasing a *fertilizer* if he discovered that he could *profitably* increase his crops by *employing* it.

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PERSONALS

Box Candies, Hutzler's
Fresh Fruits of all kinds at Hutzler's.
Millet and cane hay. Phone Fulton, 62 and 82.

Dates, Figs, Currants and Citron at Hutzler's.

Walnuts, Almonds, Brazil Nuts and Pecans at Hutzler's.

New lot of Nyal's Face Cream at Windrow's 25c a Jar.

Fresh fruits and vegetables of all kinds at F. A. Heyen's.

Get the Henney Hack and be happy. Sold by E. R. Leinweber.

We can show you a first-class walking planter, Holloway Bros.

A car load of Henney buggies just arrived at E. R. Leinweber's.

The Elite Club enjoyed its monthly dance at the hall Thursday night.

Try some of our millet hay. Fulton Livery & Transfer Co. Phone 61.

New lot of Combs and Brushes just received at Windrow's Drug Store.

Dinkie wants a part of your Confectionery trade. Morgan's old stand.

Leinweber has the hack you need—the famous Henney. Call and see it.

Cut Glass and Silver Ware for Sale at Windrow's. Best Goods! Best Prices.

Hamburgers and pies at Emil Heyen's stand, next to the postoffice.

It will soon be fly time; let us figure on screening your house. Holloway Bros.

A new shipment of the famous Heny buggies just arrived. E. R. Leinweber.

Job Canon came out from San Antonio Sunday, and spent the day with his family.

Photographer W. E. McLeod returned Tuesday from a business trip to Sabinal.

C. B. Johnson was over from Sabinal this week on business. He returned yesterday.

See the fine line of Hair and Clothes brushes from 25c up, at Windrow's Drug Store.

Just arrived at Windrow's Drug Store, a fresh supply of Peroxide Cream, 25c.

Just arrived a lot of Tooth Brushes, from 5c to 50c at Windrow's Prescription Drug Store.

For the best blood cleanser and purifier try Watkin's Sarsaparilla. Sold by O. S. Wallace, agent.

When you need a good Perfume try "Thelma," 50c an oz at Windrow's Prescription Drug Store.

Mexico-American Land Co.'s EXCURSION!

There will be an excursion, leaving Kansas City

MARCH 8th

to the Company's lands in the State of Vera Cruz, Mexico. The excursion will leave San Antonio

THURSDAY MARCH 9 NIGHT.....

The fare from San Antonio and return, including Pullman car and board, is \$70.80.

These lands are the richest to be found in the world, and are for sale at the low price of \$7.50 per acre at 6 per cent interest on long time.

Any one looking for a profitable investment will do well to go with us and inspect this proposition. Don't forget the date and be on hand.

Mexico-American Land Co.
Gus Koenig, Local Agent.
La Coste, Texas

Fresh Chocolates and Bon Bons at Hutzler's.

Millet and cane hay. Phone Fulton, 62 and 82.

The best Picture Frames ever seen in Hondo at McLeod's Studio.

Miss Louisa Leinweber is now employed in the millinery department at Heyen & Co.'s store.

Unthreshed millet hay, an excellent feed for all kinds of stock, for sale by Fulton Livery & Transfer Co. Phone 61.

Mr. Fuller who some weeks ago suffered a broken leg in a run-away accident was able to be on the street Saturday.

Geo. E. Schmidt was in town Saturday from the ranch. We were glad to see Mr. Schmidt sufficiently recovered to be out again.

Dinkelspiel invites his friends to call on him at Morgan's old stand and supply their wants in fruits, nuts, candies, ice-cream and cold drinks. tf.

Nyal's, a greaseless Peroxide Cream, 25c at Windrow's.

We can show you a first-class walking planter, Holloway Bros.

For a good Cigar come to Windrow's a fresh supply just received.

Do you like a greaseless cream? then try Nyal's, 25c at Windrow's.

Watkin's Laxtone for the babies has no equal. See O. S. Wallace, Agent.

Watkin's Cough Cure will stop that cough. Try it. O. S. Wallace, agent.

It will soon be fly time; let us figure on screening your house. Holloway Bros.

Henney hacks and buggies give satisfaction. Sold in Hondo only by E. R. Leinweber.

Call on Leinweber and inspect the Henney Buggies before purchasing elsewhere.

Just arrived, a car load of choice millet hay. Fulton Livery & Transfer Co. Phone 61.

The Best Base Ball goods in the World, "Spalding's"; a full assortment at Windrow's Drug Store.

Stockmen, have your horses clipped at the Fulton Livery and Transfer Co.'s barn. Prices reasonable. 26 tf

—Meet me at the Soda Fountain. Cool, sparkling drinks served from the beautiful fountain at Hutzler's.

FOR SALE—100 bushels Mebane Cotton Seed. Apply to Frank Moore, Hondo, Texas. Phone 22, 1 long, 2 shorts.

You should see the Henney line of hacks and buggies before buying. They are sold in Hondo by E. R. Leinweber.

G. C. Goff and sister, Mrs. Tom Heath, and Miss Meda Meriwether made an auto trip to San Antonio the first of the week.

Miss Ella Durst returned to her home at Fredericksburg Monday after spending some weeks with her sister, Mrs. Richard Ellebracht.

Mrs. J. W. Manning left for her home at Elmira, Texas, yesterday after a three weeks visit to her daughters, Mesdames S. A. Proctor, Lon Moore and Henry Moore.

Mr. and Mrs. Aug. Hornung Jr. were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Aug. Hornung Sr. on Sunday. Mr. Hornung is the manager of the Bexar Steam Laundry, in San Antonio.

Two automobiles collided head-on in the street Saturday morning near Aug. Kempf's residence, and both cars were badly damaged. Fortunately no one was hurt. The cars belonged to parties traveling through. We could not learn the names.



WHERE REPUTATION COUNTS

in silverware is in affording the purchaser the only protection possible against inferior goods. A thin film of silver may cover a multitude of defects; therefore buy of a dealer whose reputation is above reproach, and whose name is a guarantee of high quality on every piece sold. Any silverware purchased at Willmann's is exactly as represented.

A. J. WILLMANN

Our cultivators have tongues and talk for themselves; come and listen, Holloway Bros.

Ben Taylor, one of our colored readers, was a business caller at this office Monday.

Try some of the Ramsey Grafted pecans, the finest nuts ever grown. J. A. Head, Agent. - tf.

Miss Amanda Smith returned Monday to her school at Dunlay after spending Sunday at home.

Liniment for bruises, pains, cramps, etc., in man or beast. O. S. Wallace, agent for Watkin's Remedies.

Our Gasoline Stoves are safe, economical, cool. We will put one in your house on trial. Holloway Bros.

O. S. Wallace sells the famous Watkin's Extracts and Spices, the best and cheapest on the market. See him.

A complete line of fresh fruits, confections, ice-cream and cold drinks at Morgan's old stand. Walter Roth, better known as Dinkie. tf.

C. L. Marty was in town yesterday. Get your P. E. O. Tag on and look pleasant!

Try a bale of straw. Fulton will deliver the same.

L. P. Mann was a business caller at this office Tuesday.

Nic Deckert was a business caller at this office Saturday.

H. B. Taylor was assessing taxes at D'Hanis during the week.

Ring 'Phone 82 for baled straw and Fulton will deliver the same.

The Fire Company holds its next regular meeting next Monday night.

Louis Moffield shipped a car of cattle to the San Antonio market Tuesday.

Joe Bader and Walter Rath made a business and pleasure trip to Castroville yesterday.

Wm. J. Schmidt of Tarpley was in town Saturday and enlisted with our corps of readers.

A. G. Walker received five car-loads of coal this week for the use of his electric light plant.

Fritz Weber passed through here Tuesday with a car-load of hogs for the San Antonio market.

Mrs. Lon Moore left yesterday for San Antonio on a visit to her daughter, Mrs. A. L. Watkins.

Cotton shipments took on quite a spurt this week and the total for the season ran up to 5045 bales.

August Hornung and C. B. Leinweber are busy making out the delinquent tax list of Medina County.

Mrs. P. H. Lynch and children arrived yesterday from Lacoste and are guests of Capt. and Mrs. F. Metzger.

The local lodge of Masons holds its monthly meeting tonight. All visiting brethren in good standing are welcome.

A fine boy was born to Mr. and Mrs. Jack Bihartz at Biry Monday, March 6, 1911. Mother and child are doing well.

Richard Ellebracht sold an eleven months old calf to Callahan & Stiegler this week which weighed 570 pounds. It pays to raise fine stock.

Joe Franger, the Biry merchant, was in town yesterday. Mr. Franger is making arrangements to build a commodious concert hall at Biry.

Mrs. Adolph Tschirhart and baby returned to their home at Castroville Tuesday after a pleasant visit to Mr. and Mrs. Ambrose Zimmermann.

Ed Schweers has purchased the interest of his partner, Otto Schweers, in the butcher business and will conduct the same in future by himself.

A car of baled straw just arrived. Fulton.

Ernest Balzen was an Arril visitor Saturday.

H. J. Heyen was a business caller this office Monday.

T. A. Burnside was out from Antonio Wednesday on business.

Mrs. Joe Hueser Jr. went to Castroville yesterday on a visit to relatives.

Our cultivators have tongues and talk for themselves; come and listen, Holloway Bros.

Mrs. W. L. Crow will take a boarders by the week or month at residence.

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RUBINSTEIN MERCANTILE COMPANY'S ENORMOUS MARCH SALE

As this month is considered a dull month of the year we will put on this Sale so as to enable the people to purchase merchandise on which they can save money. Below we mention a few items of merchandise which we will put on sale at the Lowest Reduced Prices

WHICH WILL BE IN REACH OF EVERY ONE

Calicoes Light patterns, Greys, Light and Dark Blues 5c Yard	Pongees Most beautiful shades in Pongees 23c Yd.	Ladies' Hose Large assortment, worth 15c a pair, now 9c Pair	Gingham Pettic's Worth 75c, now 69c	Men's Hose Extra good quality 9c pair	Embroidery and Laces ONE-FOURTH OFF OF REGULAR PRICES
Dress Gingham The best Amoskeag Dress Gingham, Beautiful Patterns, New Arrivals 12c Yard	Sousine Silk New arrivals in Spring Sousine Silks, beautiful patterns and shades 33c yd.	Ladies' Summer Vests Extra good quality at 9c Another lot of vests at 14c	Curtain Ends 19c SINGLE CURTAINS 53c	Men's Shirts Worth 50c, now 43c Worth \$1.00, now 89c Worth \$1.25, now 98c Worth 75c, now 63c	Petticoats Black Silk Petticoats, only a few left \$3.98
Percales Extra good quality of Pretty Percales 9c Yard	Lawns Just arrived, Spring's new Lawns, neat patterns 7 1-2c yd.	Ladies' Hose Large Fancy Assortment, worth 25c a pair, now 15c	Ladies' Skirts Panama and Voiles, 25 per cent off on all SKIRTS.	Men's Summer Underwear Worth 50c a garment, now 39c	Men's Pants 10 Per Cent Off On Men's Pants
Dress Gingham New Spring Gingham, the beautiful patterns 9c Yard	Lawns Very beautiful patterns for this Spring 10c Another lot of Lawns 15 yd.	White Goods One lot of neat figured for Shirt Waists, worth 10c yd. 8c	Ladies' Waists Worth \$1.50, now \$1.39 Worth \$1.25, now \$1.19 Worth \$2.25, now \$1.98	Men's Summer Underwear Worth 25c, now 19c	Hats 10 Per Cent Off On all Men's Hats
Domestics Bleached and Unbleached, Extra good quality 4 yds. for 5c	Dressing Sacques Worth 50c, now 43c	White Goods Another lot of cross-bars and checks, worth 15c yd. 11c yd.	Kimonas at the lowest Prices	Men's Fancy Hose Worth 50c a pair 35c Pair	Lace Curtains Worth \$1.75, now \$1.49 Worth \$1.50, now \$1.29 Worth \$1.25, now \$1.09